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**FEET TRANSMITTAL SHEET  
(FY 2005)**

 Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)

Complete if Known	
Application No.	09/824,853
Filing Date	April 2, 2001
First Inventor	Simon Jacobs
Group Art Unit	3623
Examiner Name	Scott L. Jarrett

**METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)**

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and 1.136(a)(3) and credit any over payments to Deposit Account No. **50-1266**; Deposit Account Name: **DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP**.

Check Enclosed.

**Extra Claim Fees**

Current Claims	Prior	Extra	Fee	Fee Paid
Total	20	=	\$	\$
Ind.	3	=	\$	\$
Multiple Dependent Claims		x	\$	\$
			<b>Subtotal (Extra Claims)</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**Petition Fee Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), & (h)**

Enclosed is a Petition filed under 37 CFR as indicated below:

<input type="checkbox"/> Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(f)	Fee \$400
§ 1.53(e) to accord a filing date.	
§ 1.57(a) to accord a filing date.	
§ 1.182 for decision on a question not provided for.	
§ 1.183 to suspend the rules.	
§ 1.378(e) for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing delayed payment of maintenance fee in expired patent.	
§ 1.174(b) to accord a filing date to an application under § 1.740 for extension of patent term.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(g)	Fee \$200
§ 1.12 for access to an assignment record.	
§ 1.14 for access to an application.	
§ 1.47 for filing by other than all inventors or person not the inventor.	
§ 1.59 for expungement of information.	
§ 1.103(a) to suspend action in an application.	
§ 1.136(b) for review of a request for ext. of time when § 1.136(a) not avail.	
§ 1.295 for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration.	
§ 1.296 to withdraw a req. for pub. after notice of intent to publish issued.	
§ 1.377 for review of decision refusing to accept a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.	
§ 1.550(c) for request for ext. of time in <i>ex parte</i> reexam. proceedings.	
§ 1.956 for request for ext. of time in <i>ex parte</i> reexam. proceedings.	
§ 5.12 for expedited handling of foreign filing license.	
§ 5.15 for changing the scope of a license.	
§ 5.15.25 for retroactive license.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h)	Fee \$130
§ 1.19(g) to request documents in a form other than provided in this part.	
§ 1.84 for accepting color drawings or photographs.	
§ 1.91 for entry of a model or exhibit.	
§ 1.102(d) to make an application special.	
§ 1.138(c) to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.	
§ 1.313 to withdraw an application from issue.	
§ 1.314 to defer issuance of a patent.	

3. ADDITIONAL FEES			
Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee paid
50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
130	65	Surcharge - Late nonprovisional filing fee or oath	\$
180	180	Submission of IDS	\$180
40	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$
120	60	Extension for reply within first month	\$
450	225	Extension for reply within second month	\$
1,020	510	Extension for reply within third month	\$
1,590	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	\$
2,160	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	\$
790	395	Submission After Final 1.129	\$
500	250	Notice of Appeal	\$
500	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
1,000	500	Request for oral hearing	\$
130	65	Terminal Disclaimer Fee	\$
800	400	Design Issue Fee	\$
790	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	\$
130		Request for voluntary publication or republication	\$
500	250	Petition to Revive – unavoidable	\$
1,500	750	Petition to Revive – unintentional	\$
200		Filing for patent term adjustment	\$
400		Request for reinstatement of term reduced	\$
1,120		Extension of term of patent	\$
OTHER FEE (specify)		Subtotal (Additional Fees)	\$180

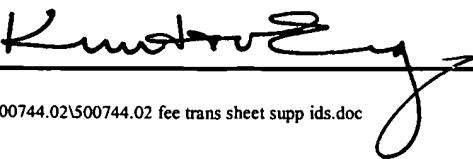
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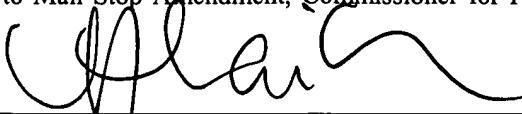


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Appl. No. : 09/824,853

Confirmation No. : 9972

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Filed : April 2, 2001

Attorney Docket No.: 500744.02

Art Unit : 3623

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Examiner : Scott L. Jarrett

Title : ASSIGNING TECHNIQUE FOR A SCHEDULING SYSTEM

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 through 1.98, applicants wish to make known to the Patent and Trademark Office the references set forth on the attached form PTO-1449 (copies of the cited references, as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, are enclosed). Although the aforesaid references are made known to the Patent and Trademark Office in compliance with applicants' duty to disclose all information they are aware of which is believed relevant to the examination of the above-identified application, applicants believe that their invention is patentable.

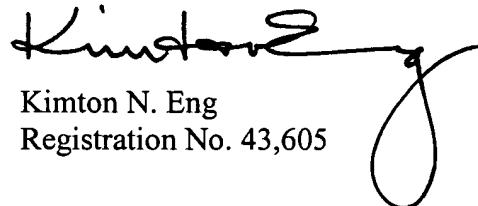
A fee of \$180 is submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1266. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Enclosures:

- Postcard
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- Fee Transmittal Sheet (+ copy)
- Copy of Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement
- Form PTO-1449
- Cited References (10)

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT <i>(Use several sheets if necessary)</i>				APPLICANT(S) Simon Jacobs and Guy Druce	
				FILING DATE April 2, 2001	GROUP ART UNIT 3623

### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	5,168,451	12/01/92	Bolger	364	436	
	AB	5,355,511	10/11/94	Hatano et al.	455	11.1	
	AC	5,428,546	06/27/95	Shah et al.	364	449	
	AD	5,532,702	07/02/96	Mintz	342	463	
	AE	5,636,122	06/03/97	Shah et al.	364	449.1	
	AF	5,758,313	05/26/98	Shah et al.	701	208	
	AG	5,904,727	05/18/99	Prabhakaran	701	208	
	AH	5,922,040	07/13/99	Prabhakaran	701	117	
	AI	6,633,900 B1	10/14/03	Khalessi et al.	709	202	
	AJ						

### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO
	AK	DE195 39 662 C2	10/02/97	Germany			X	
	AL							
	AM							
	AN							
	AO							

### OTHER PRIOR ART *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

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